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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph [0036.] with the following amended paragraph:

[0036] It is preferred that the electrolyte sheet be thin enough so that the electrolyte's ohmic resistance be less than about 0.5 ohm/em² ohm-cm² and more preferably less than 0.2 ohm-cm² ohm/em². In addition, the indentations or surface texturing also advantageously increases surface area of the electrolyte sheet, thus increasing ionic conductance. Thus, in order to decrease ohmic resistance and to increase ionic conductance of the electrolyte sheet 10 both sides 20, 22 may be textured.